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To: [Weintraub, Max](#)
Cc: [Reyes, Deldi](#)
Subject: RE: Carver Elementary School
Date: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 9:28:00 AM
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Ok, thanks so much Max.

-Eric

From: Weintraub, Max
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 9:27 AM
To: Canteenwala, Eric
Cc: Reyes, Deldi
Subject: RE: Carver Elementary School

Eric,

While I think this does indicate that the individuals were certified to do the work, I am doing a bit more research to determine whether one or both firms (i.e., Cardinal and Janus) were certified. I should know for certain by tomorrow.

Once I know, I think it will be necessary to send a letter asking that the info be sent to us. I have a few other pressing issues but should be able to work that up by Monday.

Max

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From: Canteenwala, Eric
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 9:10 AM
To: Weintraub, Max
Cc: Reyes, Deldi
Subject: RE: Carver Elementary School

Thanks Max. A few weeks back you had also brought up some other points re Carver lead abatement such as the details that would indicate that the job was performed (e.g., photos, the work plan, weekly status report, hazardous waste manifests, etc.). It seems like William Hale at CDPH does not have these details, would the contractor be required to submit these to anyone? Would it be included in the state architect report at the conclusion of the overall project? These are just some thoughts, but otherwise it's good to know that the job was completed by a certified firm.

Thank You,

-Eric Canteenwala

From: Weintraub, Max
Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 9:02 AM
To: Canteenwala, Eric
Cc: Reyes, Deldi

Subject: FW: Carver Elementary School

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From: Hale, William (CDPH-DEODC-CLPPB) [<mailto:William.Hale@cdph.ca.gov>]

Sent: Tuesday, July 28, 2015 8:24 AM

To: Weintraub, Max

Cc: Canteenwala, Eric; Reyes, Deldi

Subject: RE: Carver Elementary School

Hi Max,

Sorry for the delay. I was out last week.

1) CA does not certify firms. We only certify individuals for lead related construction activities.

2) An Abatement of Lead Hazards Notification (CDPH form 8551) was filed and is attached.

At this time, I do not have further information about the company or the work done at the school.

I can tell you that Ronald McDaniel and Armando Ibarra are both currently California Department of Public Health certified in Lead Related Construction. Mr. Ibarra (S-16961) has been certified as a Lead Supervisor since June 2014, has not let his certification lapse, and his certification is valid until 2016. Mr. McDaniel (S-3599) is certified as a Lead Inspector/Assessor, Project Monitor, and Supervisor. Mr. McDaniel's certifications are valid until October 2015. Mr. McDaniel had a lapse in certification from October 6, 2014, through December 5, 2014, due to a late renewal application.

Please let me know if you still have not received an agenda for August 5th.

Have a nice week!

Will

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From: Weintraub, Max [<mailto:Weintraub.Max@epa.gov>]

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2015 5:01 PM

To: Hale, William (CDPH-DEODC-CLPPB)

Cc: Canteenwala, Eric; Reyes, Deldi

Subject: Carver Elementary School

Will,

I hope you are well. I am getting questions about a lead-based paint abatement job performed earlier this year at Carver Elementary School (11150 Santa Rosalia Street, Stanton, CA 90680) in Orange County. The school includes a Headstart program.

The firm hired to perform the job is Cardinal Environmental Consultants, Inc. The company is also known at 5 M Contracting. I cannot find a certified abatement firm under either name. The address for the company is 2691 Dow Avenue # C2, Tustin, CA 92780.

I have two questions for you...

1) Is the company a certified abatement firm in CA?

2) Was a [form 8551](#) filed for this job?

The company owner does appear to be a certified supervisor (i.e., your on-line list includes Ronald McDaniel, Certification # S-3599, Expires 10/6/2015). As I am not very familiar with the abatement requirements, I am assuming that - as with RRP - the company is also required to be certified.

Any insights you can share either about the company or work done at the elementary school is appreciated.

Thanks,

Max

PS – On an unrelated note...if the agenda for August 5 is available, I would appreciate seeing it.

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